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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director (Intelligence)

SUBJECT: Further Analysis of Bloc and Western Shipping
Calling at Cuban Ports

1. Attached is a further analysis of the shipping in the Cuban trade requested Friday evening 7 September. We have exhausted presently available sources in this rack-up and have been as responsive to the original request as the data and ingenuity in their interpretation permit. One must infer Soviet beneficial interest in most cases, i.e., from the sequence of ports served by the vessel.

2. I wish to call attention to the classification of the material because we have had a regrettable experience of loss of sources in this area through unbridled use of the material by persons for whom research has been performed. Only last week the Department of State released material prepared by this office and covered by this classification. Said material appeared in part in the Washington Post within 12 hours of the time we gave it to State.

3. As a result of the use — or misuse — of this material, particularly press releases and releases to foreign nationals we have lost, inter alia,

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4. I recommend that the attached material not be released from its present full classification.

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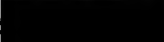
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**Analysis of the Shipping in
the Cuban Trade**

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MERCHANT SHIP ARRIVALS IN CUBAN PORTS - JULY AND AUGUST 1962

During July and August 1962, there were 255 arrivals in Cuban ports by Bloc and non-Bloc ships. Of the non-Bloc arrivals, 107 were flying the flags of NATO countries and 34 were flying other non-Bloc flags.*

Total arrivals for each of the two months are presented in the following tables for both Bloc and non-Bloc ships. In addition, tables are attached showing the distribution of ship arrivals between NATO flag and other non-Bloc flags, and whether they are in Bloc-Cuban trade or non-Bloc-Cuban trade. For non-Bloc ships that either arrived from a Bloc port or were scheduled to land for a Bloc port and for which charter data is not available, that ship is categorized as being in a "beneficial use" status.

* 1 non-Bloc ship of unknown flag is not included.

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<u>COUNTRY</u>	<u>Dry Cargo</u>		<u>Tankers</u>		<u>Total</u>	
	<u>Number of Ships</u>	<u>GRT</u>	<u>Number of Ships</u>	<u>GRT</u>	<u>Number of Ships</u>	<u>GRT</u>
USSR	15*	110,065	11**	165,140	26	275,205
Poland	1	3,184			1	3,184
Bulgaria	1	8,779			1	8,779
Czechoslovakia	1	8,887			1	8,887
East Germany	1	6,996			1	6,996
Total	19	137,911	11	165,140	30	303,051

* Includes 4 arrivals (19,404 GRT) of passenger ships.

** Includes the Artays (3,331 GRT) which has been transferred to Cuban flag.

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<u>Country</u>	<u>Key Cargo</u>		<u>Tankers</u>		<u>Total</u>	
	<u>Number of</u> <u>Ships</u>	<u>GRT</u>	<u>Number of</u> <u>Ships</u>	<u>GRT</u>	<u>Number of</u> <u>Ships</u>	<u>GRT</u>
Belgium	1	7,639			1	7,639
Great Britain	13	98,693	8	114,354	21	213,047
Cuba	8	24,271			8	24,271
Denmark	4	23,996			4	23,996
France	1	5,036			1	5,036
Germany	6	22,667			6	22,667
Greece	19	163,532	4	35,273	23	199,105
Italy	3	21,508			3	21,508
Japan	3	24,527			3	24,527
Latvian	5	35,022			5	35,022
Liberia	2	18,217			2	18,217
Netherlands	3	13,748			3	13,748
Norway	4	27,175	1	19,999	5	47,174
Panama	1	2,393			1	2,393
Spain	5	39,786			5	39,786
Turkey	1	5,869			1	5,869
Yugoslavia			2	21,088	2	21,088
Total	79	534,381	15	190,714	94	725,095

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NON-BLOC ARRIVALS IN CUBAN PORTS - JULY 1962
(Dry Cargo)

	Chartered by			Bloc Cuban Trade			Total Bloc Involved	Non-Bloc-Cuban Trade	Total
	Sov.	Lat.	China	Not Chartered but of Beneficial Use to*	Sov.	Lat.			
<u>NAVO Flag</u>									
Belgian	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
British	2	-	5	2	-	-	9	4	13
Danish	1	-	-	1	-	-	2	2	4
French	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Greek	2	2	10	-	-	1	13	4	19
Italian	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	3
Netherlands	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	3
Norwegian	-	-	3	-	-	-	3	1	4
Turkish	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
W. German	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	4	6
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subtotal	7	3	15	3	2	1	34	21	55

SECRET SABRE**NON-BLAC ARRIVALS IN CUBAN PORTS - JULY 1962**
(By Cargo) (continued)

	Blac Cuban Trade			Non-Blac-Cuban Trade			Total
	Not Chartered but of Beneficial Use to			Total Blac Involved			
	Chartered by						
	Sov.	Lat.	China	Sov.	Lat.	China	
<u>NON-BLAC Flag</u>							
Cuban	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Japanese	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Lebanese	3	-	-	-	-	-	2
Liberian	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Peruvianian	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Spanish	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
	-	-	-	-	-	-	—
Subtotal	3	-	-	-	-	-	17
Grand Total	10	3	16	3	2	1	38

Arrived from or departed for Blac port but charter status unknown.

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SHIP ARRIVALS IN CUBA - AUGUST 1962

<u>Country</u>	<u>Per Carac</u>		<u>Turkey</u>		<u>Total</u>	
	<u>Number of ships</u>	<u>GRT</u>	<u>Number of ships</u>	<u>GRT</u>	<u>Number of ships</u>	<u>GRT</u>
USSR	43*	386,594	15	224,388	58	590,982
Poland	1	7,697			1	7,697
Bulgaria			1	10,090	1	10,090
East Germany	1	9,659			1	9,659
Total	45	393,250	16	234,478	61	578,436

* Includes 7 arrivals (50,570 GRT) of passenger ships.

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<u>Country</u>	<u>Dry Cargo</u>		<u>Tankers</u>		<u>Total</u>	
	<u>Number of Ships</u>	<u>GRT</u>	<u>Number of Ships</u>	<u>GRT</u>	<u>Number of Ships</u>	<u>GRT</u>
Great Britain	3	21,004	2	26,443	5	47,447
Chile	1	6,232			1	6,232
Cuba	6	17,716			6	17,716
Denmark	3	12,675			3	12,675
Finland	1	7,320			1	7,320
Greece	7	57,052	4	45,730	11	102,770
Italy	3	19,740	1	12,932	4	32,722
Japan	3	22,741			3	22,741
Lebanon	5	35,361			5	35,361
Liberia	1	6,203			1	6,203
Morocco	1	6,748			1	6,748
Netherlands	1	9,105			1	9,105
Norway	5	23,918	2	16,200	7	40,118
Panama	1	7,243			1	7,243
Spain	2	11,271			2	11,271
Sweden	4	18,250			4	18,250
West Germany	6	61,042			6	61,042
Yugoslavia	5	36,887			5	36,887
Unidentified	1	7			1	7
Total	61	335,089	7	101,363	70	436,452

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NON-BLOC NEW CARGO SHIP ARRIVALS IN CHINA - AUGUST 1962

	<u>Chartered by</u>			<u>Non-Chartered but of</u>			<u>TOTAL SHIPS</u> <u>Involved</u>	<u>Non-Bloc-China Trade</u>		<u>Total</u>
	<u>Gov.</u>	<u>Nat.</u>	<u>China</u>	<u>Essential Use too</u>						
				<u>Gov.</u>	<u>Nat.</u>	<u>China</u>				
<u>WFO Flag</u>										
British	1	-	1	-	-	-	2	1		3
Danish	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	2		3
Greek	3	-	1	1	1	-	6	1		7
Italian	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	2		3
Dutch	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-		1
West German	4	-	2	-	-	-	6	2		8
Norwegian	1	-	2	-	-	-	3	2		5
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-
Subtotal	9	1	7	2	1	-	20	10		30
<u>Non-WFO Flag</u>										
Chilean	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1		1
Cuban	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	4		6
Finnish	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-		1

SECRETNON-BLOC DRY CARGO SHIP ARRIVALS IN CUBA - AUGUST 1962
(continued)

	<u>Chartered by</u>			<u>Not Chartered but of</u>			<u>Total Bloc</u>	<u>Non-Bloc Cuban Trade</u>	<u>Total</u>
	<u>Sov.</u>	<u>Sat.</u>	<u>China</u>	<u>Beneficial Use to*</u>	<u>Sov.</u>	<u>Sat.</u>			
Japanese	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3
Lebanese	1	-	1	3	-	-	5	-	5
Liberian	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Moroccan	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	1
Polish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Spanish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2
Yugoslavian	-	-	-	3	-	-	3	2	5
Swedish	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	3	4
Subtotal	2	-	1	8	-	-	13	17	30
Unidentified Flag	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Grand total	11	1	0	10	1	-	33	20	61

*Either arrived from a Bloc port or departed for a Bloc port, charter status unknown.

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NON-BLAC TANKER ARRIVALS IN CUBAN PORTS - JULY AND AUGUST 1962

	<u>Under Soviet Charter</u>	<u>Non-BLAC Trade*</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>JULY</u>			
<u>HAFO Flag</u>			
British	6	2	8
Greek	2	2	4
Norwegian	-	1	1
	-	-	-
Subtotal	8	5	13
<u>Non-HAFO Flag</u>			
Yugoslavian	1	1	2
	-	-	-
Total July	9	6	15
<u>AUGUST</u>			
<u>HAFO Flag</u>			
Italian	-	1	1
British	2	-	2
Greek	1	1	4
Norwegian	2	-	2
	-	-	-
Subtotal	7	2	9
<u>Non-HAFO Flag</u>			
None	-	-	-
Total August	7	2	9

* Engaged in carrying molasses to Free World.

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